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SUBJECT: CUBAN INQUIRY CONCERNING METEOROLOGICAL INFORMATION

REF: HAVANA 2422

1. FOLLOWING INFORMATION FROM NOAA MAY BE PASSED TO CUBAN AUTHORITIES IN RESPONSE TO THEIR INQUIRY.

2. REGULAR APT SERVICE ON NOAA 4 AND 5 HAS CEASED DUE TO INSTRUMENT FAILURE. INTERMITTENT SERVICE MAY OCCUR WHEN IT IS POSSIBLE TO GET ONE OF THE INSTRUMENTS TO OPERATE. LAUNCH OF TIROS N NOW SCHEDULED FOR SEPTEMBER 15 AND APT OPERATION SHOULD BEGIN SEVERAL DAYS AFTER LAUNCH. METEOROLOGICAL INSTITUTE SHOULD WATCH TBUS MESSAGES FOR APT INFORMATION. TIROS N APT TRANSMISSION FREQUENCIES ARE THE SAME AS PRESENT NOAA SATELLITES BUT FORMAT IS DIFFERENT WHICH REQUIRES SOME MODIFICATION ON MOST APT RECEIVERS. THIS INFORMATION HAS BEEN DISTRIBUTED BY WMO ON SEVERAL OCCASIONS. FOR EXAMPLE, SEE THEIR UNCLASSIFIED

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PUBLICATION WMO 411 OF 1975 WITH SUPPLEMENT 1-5. THE USSR METEOR SATELLITE HAS BEEN BROADCASTING APT REGULARLY ON 137.3 MHZ MEGAHERZ WITH A MAJOR SCANNING SPEED OF 120 LINES PER MINUTE. ADDITIONAL DETAILS ARE CONTAINED IN WMO NUMBER 411 PAGES 22B AND C. VANCE

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